

Date: July 2, 2008
 To: Court of Appeals Judges, Director of State Courts, Staff Counsel, Clerk's Office Staff
 From: David R. Schanker, Clerk
 Re: COURT OF APPEALS MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT – June 2008

Cumulative: January 1, 2008 through June 30, 2008

APPELLATE DISTRICT	I	II	III	IV	TOTAL
Cases Carried Over from Dec. 31, 2007	<u>654</u>	<u>459</u>	<u>313</u>	<u>480</u>	<u>1906</u>
Civil	240	223	172	279	914
Criminal	414	236	141	201	992
Cases Filed	<u>451</u>	<u>406</u>	<u>325</u>	<u>374</u>	<u>1556</u>
Civil	198	188	157	227	770
Criminal	253	218	168	147	786
Cases Docketed	<u>1105</u>	<u>865</u>	<u>638</u>	<u>854</u>	<u>3462</u>
Civil	438	411	329	506	1684
Criminal	667	454	309	348	1778
Cases Reopened	<u>10</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>29</u>
Civil	7	3	2	11	23
Criminal	3	1	1	1	6
Cases Terminated*	<u>430</u>	<u>369</u>	<u>324</u>	<u>456</u>	<u>1579</u>
Opinion - Civil	98	76	75	111	360
Opinion - Criminal	<u>58</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>203</u>
Subtotal	156	135	113	159	563
Sum. Disp. – Civil	19	30	29	30	108
Sum. Disp. - Criminal	<u>116</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>110</u>	<u>354</u>
Subtotal	135	95	92	140	462
Memo Opinion - Civil	79	67	56	90	292
Memo Opinion - Criminal	<u>35</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>158</u>
Subtotal	114	112	99	125	450
Other - Civil	17	21	17	26	81
Other - Criminal	<u>8</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>23</u>
Subtotal	25	27	20	32	104
Cases Pending	<u>685</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>317</u>	<u>410</u>	<u>1912</u>
Civil	232	220	154	260	866
Criminal	453	280	163	150	1046

* Terminations are adjusted to reflect dispositions by panels assigned to cases filed in other districts and cover the "number of cases" terminated.

Case Activity During the Month of June 2008

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APPELLATE DISTRICT	I	II	III	IV	TOTAL
Cases Filed	<u>48</u>	<u>82</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>255</u>
Civil	18	36	27	42	123
Criminal	30	46	37	19	132
Cases Terminated	<u>76</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>254</u>
Opinion - Civil	15	14	13	16	58
Opinion - Criminal	18	12	4	12	46
1 – III/IV					
Sum. Disp. - Civil	10	7	4	7	28
Sum. Disp. - Criminal	18	11	11	9	49
6 – I/IV					
Memo Opinion - Civil	7	12	7	16	42
Memo Opinion - Criminal	7	4	4	5	20
Other - Civil	1	3	2	4	10
Other - Criminal	0	0	1	0	1
Cases Reopened	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>
Civil	0	0	0	2	2
Criminal	0	1	0	0	1
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Notices of Appeal Filed:	I	II	III	IV	TOTAL
One-Judge Appeals	<u>1</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>30</u>
Civil	0	7	1	8	16
Criminal	1	6	3	4	14
Three-Judge Appeals	<u>39</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>56</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>189</u>
Civil	12	24	23	25	84
Criminal	27	30	33	15	105
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Sup. Writs Filed	5	5	1	8	19
Sup. Writs Terminated	<u>6</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>18</u>
Granted	0	0	0	1	1
Denied, Dismissed, Other	6	3	0	8	17
Sup. Writs Pending	18	6	2	12	38
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Leave to Appeal Filed	5	8	3	3	19
Leave to Appeal Terminated	<u>0</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>13</u>
Granted	0	1	0	0	1
Denied, Dismissed, Other	0	3	2	7	12
Leave to Appeal Pending	24	6	6	3	39

Additional Matters During the Month of June 2008

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APPELLATE DISTRICT	I	II	III	IV	TOTAL
Motions Filed					
Numbered Cases	123	98	91	93	405
Extensions of Time	73	72	40	50	235
Unnumbered Cases	109	72	45	48	274
Sua Sponte Matters	<u>24</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>75</u>
Total Motions Filed	329	258	196	206	989
Motions Terminated					
Numbered Cases	125	97	77	84	383
Extensions of Time	73	71	39	50	233
Unnumbered Cases	114	71	40	50	275
Sua Sponte Matters	<u>29</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>86</u>
Total Motions Terminated	341	256	174	206	977
Motions Pending					
Numbered Cases	107	46	34	55	242
Extensions of Time	9	9	2	6	26
Unnumbered Cases	15	7	5	11	38
Sua Sponte Matters	<u>13</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>36</u>
Total Motions Pending	144	65	49	84	342
Opinions Circulating:	24	15	0	11	50
Opinions Approved but not Released:	12	5	5	1	23
Petitions for Bypass Filed	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>
Civil	0	1	0	0	1
Criminal	0	0	0	0	0
Certifications Filed	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>
Civil	0	1	1	1	3
Criminal	0	1	0	0	1
Petitions for Review Filed	<u>17</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>57</u>
Civil	8	11	11	8	38
Criminal	9	7	2	1	19

Wisconsin Court of Appeals

Explanation of Termination Categories

OPINIONS

Includes three-judge and one-judge authored opinions and per curiam opinions. All per curiam opinions are assigned to a supervising judge who has the responsibility for approval of the final draft of the opinion after circulation to the panel.

SUMMARY DISPOSITIONS

Includes opinions issued in the form of a court order after the court has reviewed the briefs and record, and following a screening and decision conference(s). All dispositions in this category are assigned to a supervising judge who is responsible for approval of the final draft of the opinion after circulation to the panel.

MEMO OPINIONS

Includes opinions issued in the form of a court order prior to a screening and decision conference(s). Examples of memo opinions are: jurisdictional terminations; petitions for writs denied or granted if the order terminates the action; petitions for leave to appeal that are denied; summary disposition of unscreened cases – usually upon a motion; motions to dismiss on the merits that are granted; transfers to circuit court; any other miscellaneous termination of an appeal in which judicial time is expended and a full explication of reasoning is set forth.

OTHER

Includes miscellaneous orders terminating cases that are issued by the Clerk's Office. Examples of miscellaneous orders are: voluntary dismissals; stipulations to dismiss; failure of an appellant to submit filing fee information.

Please Note: Case filings are counted according to the district of origin and tracked through the appellate process in the filing district. Terminations, however, are counted in the district that issued the opinion. For example, a case filed in District IV, but transferred to District III, will be counted as a pending case in District IV until the opinion is issued when adjustments will be made to reflect the termination by District III. In this example, the District III termination will result in one less case pending in District IV.

Page 2 of the Monthly Statistical Report reflects how many cases terminated by a particular district are transfer cases. Page 3 of the report reflects the current status of transfer cases.